7-31-06

RCZ-D

Practivioner's Docket No. 55742 RCE (71117)

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Tadashi Nagaso

Application No.: 09/839,947

Group No.: 2625

Filed: April 20, 2001

Examiner: Garcia, G. I.

For: IMAGE FORMING DEVICE

Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

NOTIFICATION OF FILING OF CONTINUING, DIVISIONAL OR REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION APPLICATION

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTIONS 1.8(a) and 1.10*

(When using Express Mail, the Express Mail label number is **mandatory**; Express Mail certification is optional.)

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being:

MAILING

deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Board of Patent Appeals & Interferences, Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

37 C.F.R. section 1.8(a)

37 C.F.R. section 1.10*

□ with sufficient postage as first class mail.

 ✓ as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label No.
 EV 754869139 US

(mandatory)

TRANSMISSION

□ transmitted by facsimile to the Patent and Trademark Office.

Signature

Date: July 27, 2006

David A. Tucker

(type or print name of person certifying)

*WARNING:

Each paper or fee filed by "Express Mail" **must** have the number of the "Express Mail"

mailing label placed thereon prior to mailing. 37 C.F.R. section 1.10(b).

Tadashi Nagaso USSN 09/839,947 Page 2

Notification is hereby being made of the filing of a:	
 [] continuation [] continuation-in-part [] divisional [X] request for continued examination 	
applications for this case [X] concurrently herewith. [] on	·
Date: July 27, 2006	SIGNATURE OF PRACTITIONES
Reg. No. 27,840	David A. Tucker., Esq. (type or print name of practitioner) EDWARDS ANGELL PALMER & DODGE, LLP
Tel. No.: 617-439-4444	P.O. Box 9169 Boston, MA 02209
Customer No.: 21874	Doston, Win 02209